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Applicant : Andreas Pohl
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For : Spring/Mass Vibratory Force Coupler

AMENDMENT

Asst. Commissioner of PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claim 9 as follows, and add new claim 15.

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Claim 9. (four times amended). Spring/mass vibratory force coupler with variable damping and variable spring stiffness for coupling masses to a reference mass, comprising a first mass coupled to a second mass via a first spring and a second spring,